WE'VE BARELY EVEN FINISHED THE MATCH...
HEEEY, WHERE EXACTLY ARE WE HEADED ANYWAY?
DAVOS IS THE NAME OF A HILL AREA WITHIN SUGA-DAIRA.
A HILL?
DAVOS?
WHAT'S THAT?
THE UPPERCLASS-MEN SAID THAT WE'RE GOING TO DAVOS.
OH! UM...
UH... I HAVE NO IDEA...
WHY'S IT CALLED DAVOS?

DAVOS HILL: JAPAN'S SKI CULTURE WAS BROUGHT ABOUT BY A MR. HANNES SCHNEIDER. WHEN HE VISITED SUGADAIRA, HE ONCE SAID THAT "THIS PLACE RESEMBLES DAVOS (IN SWITZERLAND)" SO THE NAME STUCK. SUGADAIRA IS ALSO FAMOUS FOR ITS SKI RESORT

ALL OUT!!

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AND SO GREEN!
NEGA-TIVE IONS GALORE!
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WOW!
IT'S HUGE!
LAST YEAR WE JUST HIKED UP HERE FOR NO REASON, BUT THIS YEAR...
YEAH, IT'S GOTTA BE...
SIGH... THE FIRST YEARS ARE GOING WILD...
THERE ARE NO NEGATIVE IONS HERE, YOU IDIOTS.
LOOK! LOOK! THERE ARE MUSHROOMS GROWING HERE!
TH... THEY'RE HUGE!
EXCELLENT JOB. YOU'VE ALL WORKED VERY HARD.
AND YOU ALL LEARNED A GREAT DEAL.
...YOU'VE FOUGHT WELL IN YOUR MATCHES THESE PAST FIVE DAYS.

WHAT?!
I KNEW IT!
NOW, TO THE PEAK! LET'S RUN!
I'LL TELL YOU THE REST WHEN WE GET TO THE TOP!

HUH?!
BUT IF I CAN'T, I'LL BE GIVING UP MIDWAY, AND THEN MY SPEECH AT THE TOP WILL BE DONE BY THE CAPTAIN INSTEAD.
NO CLUE.
GRAMPS, ARE YOU GONNA BE ABLE TO CLIMB UP ALL THE WAY?
ACK!
GION! SPEAK POLITELY TO YOUR ELDERS!!

NOW COME ON!
I DON'T KNOW!
W-WE HAVE TO RUN? HOW FAR IS IT TO THE PEAK...

THIS SLOPE'S PRETTY STEEP...
OH MAN...

HE'S SO FAR AWAY!
THE LEADER UP THERE IS... EBUMI-SENPAI?
THE PERCEPTION OF DISTANCE HERE MAKES ME DIZZY...
GEEZ!
THIS IS PRETTY TOUGH...
HUFF!
HIROTA-SENPAI! YOU CAN DO IT!
SO YOU'VE BEEN HERE BEFORE WITH THE RUGBY SCHOOL?
THERE'S TOO MUCH GRASS, AND SOMETIMES IT'S MUDDY!
ARGHH! I HATE DAVOS!
CLUB, SCHOOL, EVERYONE ALWAYS COMES TO SUGADAIRA, AND WE ALWAYS HAVE TO RUN!

GION! IT'S DANGE-ROUS OVER THERE!
HRGH!
DAMN IT! I'M NOT LOSING TO EBUMI!
RAA AAH!
YEAH, YEAH! AND HIROTA TOTALLY TRIPPED AND FELL!
BAHAHA HAHAHA!
REMINDS ME OF WHEN I WAS A 1ST YEAR.
IT RAINED IN THE MORNING, AND IT WAS EVEN MUDDIER THAN TODAY...
PHEW!
THE 1ST AND 2ND YEARS ARE FULL OF ENERGY!
SLUUUUP
GION !!!
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DANG, HE'S GOT GOOD EARS!
NOBODY! WE DIDN'T SAY ANY-THING!
HEY! WHO'S UP THERE TALKING SHIT BEHIND MY BACK?!

AW MAN, GEEZ...
THIS IS GONNA BE OUR LAST TIME CLIMBING UP HERE WITH EVERYONE.
HIRO-TAAA!
STOP ROLL-ING!
WHOA! HIROTA TRIPPED AGAIN!
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SENPAI FELL DOWN!
IS HE ALRIGHT?
HEEY!
WHOA!
GRAH!
AHAHA!
WE'VE CAUGHT UP!
COACH!

OH, FOR GOODNESS' SAKE, MR. YOSHIDA! YOU'RE OUT OF BREATH AFTER ONLY A FEW SECONDS!
HUFF... W... WAIT, GIMME A BREAK...
COME ON! YOU'VE GOT TO SHAPE UP!
OH MY, SENSEI, I'M QUITE JEALOUS OF YOU, YOU'VE GOT A FLOWER ON EACH ARM.
OH COACH, KYA! PLEASE!
HUH?!
WHAT FLOWERS?!
THANK YOU FOR CARRYING OUR BAGS ALL THE WAY TO THE INN.
AND MS. IKUTA, THANK YOU FOR HELPING AS WELL...
OH! IT'S NO PROBLEM AT ALL!
WE JUST HAPPENED TO HAVE A LARGE CAR, SO IT WAS PERFECT!
MY UNCLE
HE WAS SO SURPRISED!

GOSH DARN IT, WHAT THE HELL IS UP WITH THAT TEAM RYOIN?!
I HAD HEARD THAT THEY WERE STRONG, BUT THE GUY THAT CAME OUT HALF-WAY WAS A COMPLETE MONSTER!
MR. IKUTA, THANK YOU FOR HELPING US CARRY OUR BAGS...
YEAH, I BET THEY WOULD'VE WON AGAINST THOSE SECOND STRINGERS!
THEY WOULDA WON, DAMN IT!
I MAY NOT KNOW IF THEIR SKILLS WERE UP TO SNUFF, BUT THEIR TEAM-WORK WAS WORKIN' WONDERS, YA KNOW?!
BUT HEAR ME OUT, TEACH, THERE'S GOTTA BE A HOLE SOME-WHERE!
A... A HOLE?
YEAH! THERE'S NO TEAM THAT CAN KEEP ON WINNING FOREVER, YOU KNOW? GUYS THAT ARE USED TO WINNING EVENTUALLY GET CARELESS ABOUT THINGS, SO THERE'S GOTTA BE A HOLE SOMEWHERE! PROBABLY!
I WONDER...
...JIN HIGH...
REALLY CHANGED A LOT OVER JUST ONE YEAR.
I'LL BE CHEERING THEM ON.

HE ENDED UP GETTING SUPER EXCITED DURING THE MATCH...
SHEESH, EVEN THOUGH MY UNCLE WAS COMPLAINING THE WHOLE TIME,
IT'S REALLY ALL THANKS TO YOU, MR. KOMORI.
AND COME BACK AGAIN NEXT YEAR," HE SAID.
"SO THEY'D BETTER BEAT UP RYOIN,
IT'S ALL THANKS TO THOSE KIDS OVER THERE.
NO.

T/N: HANAZONO, THE RUGBY TOURNAMENT. MEANS "FLOWER GARDEN"
THE 'FLOWERS' INSPIRING EMOTION IN THE HEARTS OF OTHERS.
THAT TITLE BELONGS TO THEM.
I WASN'T THE ONE FIGHTING OUT THERE.
WERE THOSE BOYS OVER THERE.
THE ONES FIGHTING, GETTING HURT, AND RILING UP THE CROWD...
I WANT TO BE A PANSY!
WHAAAT?! I DON'T WANT TO BE A WORM!
HMM? UH... I SUPPOSE YOU'D BE THE WATER OR THE EARTHWORMS.
HEY, SO THEN WHAT DOES THAT MAKE ME?
WERE YOU EVEN LISTENING TO WHAT I SAID?
AHAHA HAHA!
THEY'RE THE ONES YOU SHOULD BE PRAISING!
COACH, YOU'RE TOO FUNNY!
I'M JUST THE MULCH OF THE GARDEN AT BEST!
YOU'RE THE SOIL OF THE GARDEN TOO,
MR. YOSHIDA.
BLUSHING?
HE TOTALLY IS! HAHA!

WE FINALLY MADE IT!
AHHH!
MR. YOSHI-DA!!
OH NO! YOSSEN'S IN EVEN WORSE SHAPE!
HE LOOKS LIKE A WORN-OUT DISH RAG!
DAMN...
M-MR. KOMORI! ARE YOU ALRIGHT ?!
WHEN I WAS YOUNGER I COULD CLIMB THESE ONE AFTER ANOTHER LIKE NO-THING.

PHEW...
BEEN A WHILE SINCE I'VE SEEN THIS SCENERY AS WELL.

IT FEELS FREAKIN' AWESOME!
WHAT DO YOU THINK, FRESH-MEN?
HOW'S IT FEEL BEING AT THE PEAK OF DAVOS?

WHAA AAT?!
...I COMPLETELY FORGOT WHAT I WANTED TO SAY.
...SO NEVER MIND! WE'RE DONE.

ALL RIGHT THEN, CAPTAIN, LET'S HAVE A WORD FROM YOU INSTEAD!
HUH? OH!
YES, SIR!
WE FOUGHT...
WE STOOD AND FOUGHT WITH ALL OUR MIGHT,
WE FINAL-LY...
HAD A CHANCE AT WIN-NING...
BUT, ALTHOUGH WE LOST,
IT WAS FRUSTRA-TING.
I THINK THAT WE LEARNED A LOT FROM IT.
BUT WE STILL
LOST IN THE END...

THESE FIVE DAYS,
I'VE WORKED HARDER THAN I'VE EVER DONE IN MY ENTIRE LIFE.
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PFF!
YOU WERE TALKING ABOUT YOURSELF?!
HUH?!
AH, NO, WAIT! UM!
PFHAH!
I WORKED MY HARDEST, TOO!
ME TOO!
HEY! YOU GUYS!
BUAHAHAHAH!
IT'S FINE, IT'S FINE, THAT WAS GOOD...

REST UP TOMORROW AND PREPARE YOURSELVES, BECAUSE THE DAY AFTER WE'RE GOING BACK TO OUR USUAL HELLISH TRAINING REGIMEN!
YOU HAVE TWO HOURS OF FREE TIME UNTIL WE GET ON THE BUS TO GO HOME!
HEEEY EVERY-ONE!
YAY!
LET'S GO CHECK OUT WHAT'S OVER THERE!
WE BROUGHT SOME BALLS!
TA-DAH!

WOW!
AWESOME!
I WONDER WHERE EBUMI WENT?
HE WENT RUNNING SOMEWHERE.
HE WAS PRETTY MIFFED ABOUT THAT RYOIN GAME.
ARRGH!
RUNNING-PASS DRILLS! GO!!
SERIOUSLY?!
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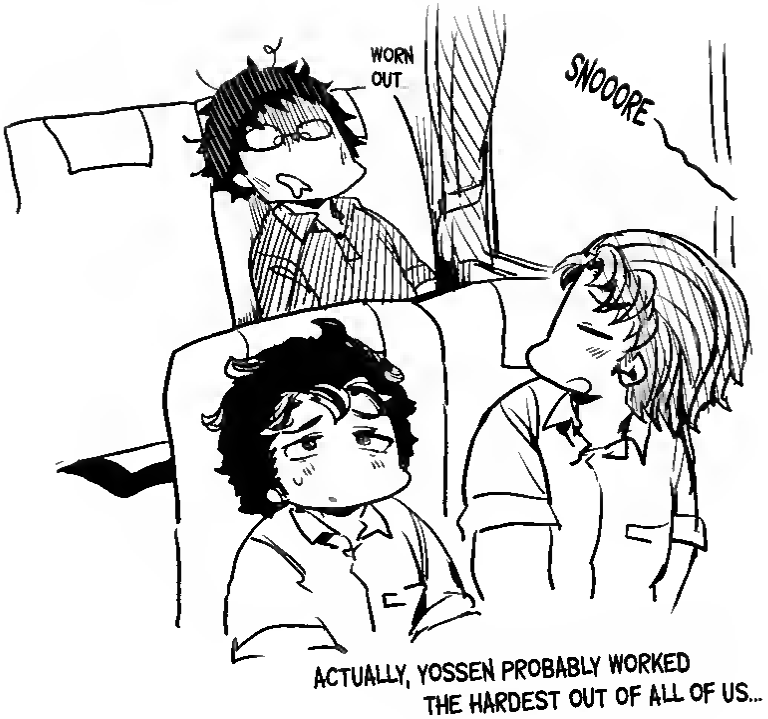
WORN OUT
SNOOORE
ACTUALLY, YOSSEN PROBABLY WORKED THE HARDEST OUT OF ALL OF US...

I ran out of things to write about,
so let me randomly answer some questions
that randomly came in. Q & A Corner!

Q. Komori-san always dresses fashionably; does he have a fixation on dressing well?

A. He does take time to think about his clothing and the color balance, but he always has Yumi-chan double-check and give her input. Also, he never reveals skin, even in the peak of summer.